

# WOMEN'S OUTER GARMENTS



THE BEST  
THAT  
ARTISTIC  
DESIGNERS,  
SKILLED  
CUTTERS  
AND  
HIGH  
CLASS  
TAILORS  
CAN  
PRODUCE.



We are prepared to show you one of the choicest lines of Coats and Suits we have ever shown in stunning styles and stunted prices. These are New York's latest effects and right up to the minute.

## LADIES' COATS.

We have them from the loose back Tourist effects to the fine tailor fitted ones in all the popular lengths in handsome mixtures, plain chevrons, kerseys and covert cloths, at from \$8.98 up. See the Coats we are showing at \$10.00 and \$15.00.

## LADIES' SUITS.

You can't help but get suited from our line. Let us show you and we'll convince you that we have the finest assortment you have seen this season. They come in chevrons, worsteds, mixtures and all other leading cloths. The styles are varied, such as the Tourist, Half Fitted and Fitted effects and numerous other styles. See our leader at \$17.98, value \$20.00. Others at \$7.98 and up.

Silk Shirt Waist Suits at \$13.50 to \$15.00 in blue, brown and black, in a beautiful quality of silk. Worsted Shirt Waist Suits in brown and grey mixtures, in the Blouse and Belted effects, with plaited skirts.

# HOMER FITTS

The Store for Prompt, Courteous and Careful Attention.

## New Store! New Goods!

A full line of the 1847 Rogers Bros.' Fully Guaranteed Knives, Forks and Spoons. Also Meat Forks, Ladles, Berry Spoons, Pie Servers, Fruit Knives, etc.

Watch and Jewelry Repairing. Mileage Books to Rent On All Roads.

## M. L. WALKER,

(SUCCESSOR TO J. W. HOLTON)

Hale's Block, 159, up stairs, North Main St., Barre, Vermont.

## A LARGE SALE ON

# Clothing and Shoes!



Today and This Evening!  
Come One, Come All!

This is your greatest chance of a lifetime to buy a winter outfit of Clothing and Shoes for yourself and family. You can save from 25 to 50 cents on every dollar's worth of goods you may buy tonight or during this week. We've a very large stock of goods, which we offer at a very small figure above their original cost. Come in and look them over. We can surely interest you with our goods and prices and we are always at your service. Come in!

## SEGEL & BRADY,

Bolster's Brick Block, Barre, Vt.

Blue Store Clothiers.

# THE BARRE DAILY TIMES

BARRE, VT., OCTOBER 5, 1904.

## Weather Prediction.

Rain tonight and Thursday. Colder Thursday. Fresh south to southwest winds, increasing and becoming north-west Thursday.

## TALK OF THE TOWN.

Local Happenings Tensely Told For Busy Readers.

Public waiting room at Abbott's. New fall shirt waists at Vaughan's. New line of suit cases at McWhorter's for \$1.00 to \$10.00 each.

Ladies' and gentlemen's solid gold watches at F. E. Burr & Co's. McWhorter is sole agent in Barre for the Munsing underwear for men, and Jaro's linen mesh and Sterling, the best in the market.

You insure your dwelling and furniture (and why not here?) and what you pay for that protection is a cost. An Investment Insurance Trust Bond—that's different, you say. Yes, because that protects greater value and has absolutely to pay you back all your money. That makes Savings and Protection—the last free, as you get ALL your deposits back in cash. Ballard & Co., reliable insurance.

## BERLIN.

William Davenport succeeded this season in growing a sweet potato five inches in length.

Lewis Chatfield has gathered a remarkable yield of Hubbard squashes. While he has not been competing with Senator Lord or the fellow who beat the Senator, Mr. Chatfield has raised six hundred good solid squashes that will weigh over five tons.

Blanchard Brothers have commenced making cider.

On account of sickness Miss Thurber teacher of the Berlin Corners school, was unable to teach Monday.

The apple crop at many farms is estimated by the hundreds of bushels, but A. E. Buck can estimate his crop of apples by the thousand.

## EAST BARRE.

The East Barre fire company which was to have held a dance Sept. 23, postponed it until Oct. 14, when it will be held.

## Marks Bros. All Next Week.

Marks—Those five letters spread volumes in themselves. It is the name that can be relied upon, a guarantee of good faith. Gain the public confidence and the road to success is sure. So with the Marks Brothers Dramatic company whose past reputation have established a record of unbroken faith and clean-cut, meritorious performances. The show this season far exceeds anything as yet seen in the way of popular priced entertainments. It is the strongest company that Mr. Marks has ever had. The plays in the repertoire are of a most pleasing and entertaining selection and each one is made a complete scenic production. Notwithstanding the heavy expense of the show itself a complete vanderbilt company of artists of the cleverest people will introduce their specialties at each and every performance. Marks Brothers, headed by the charming actress May A. Bell Marks, will appear at the opera house all of next week in the following repertoire: Monday, The Banker's Wife; Tuesday, Nell Gwynne; Wednesday, The Gambler's Daughter; Thursday, A Bird in a Gilded Cage; Friday, Anona The Indian Maid; Saturday, Saved From Siberia; Saturday matinee, Under Two Flags; Wednesday matinee, Mabel Heath. Monday evening will be ladies' night and any lady can secure the best seat in the house for 15 cents if bought at the advance sale before 6 p. m. Monday. Seats now on sale at the Red Cross Pharmacy.

## Wanted At Once.

Segel & Brady want all the good citizens of Barre and vicinity as well as all other out of town friends to come in and see the largest stock of men's and boys' fall and winter clothing, shoes, furnishing goods and rubber goods to be found in the state. We are getting ready for the biggest and most important fall clothing sale ever inaugurated under one roof and it's all owing to our large purchase made in Burlington last week. Watch for further particulars. Do not buy until we start up our big sale.

## Menu for Plantation Supper.

Menu for Plantation Supper to be given Wednesday evening, Oct. 5, at the Episcopal vestry.  
Fresh Ham, Stuffed and Baked.  
Mashed Irish and Baked Sweet Potatoes.  
Boiled Cider Apple Sauce.  
Hot Corn Bread.  
Pumpkin, Apple and Coconut Pie.  
Cheese. Coffee. Fruit.  
Supper served from 5:30 to 7:30.  
Tickets 25c.

## WILLIAMSTOWN.

Millinery opening at our millinery and dressmaking parlors, Beckett block, Williamstown, Friday, Oct. 7th, afternoon and evening.

Miss L. E. Townsend.  
Mrs. Nelson Vassar.

## Notice to Clansmen.

The clan room will be changed from Miles granite block to room 7, Eastman block, on and after Oct. 1st.

## RATS TO AID INDUSTRY.

Plan For Stringing Cables Adopted in the West.

That ordinary alley rats can be of any material aid in the industrial development of the country is doubted by most people, but an experiment recently tried in Des Moines, Ia., says the Minneapolis Times, in which an army of 200 rodents successfully laid nearly thirty-five miles of underground cables for Des Moines telephones has given rats a value far above the prices they have commanded as food for Chinamen and has paved the way for a new industry, the catching and jobbing of rats.

Telephone companies in Sioux City have engaged the army that has completed its valuable work at Des Moines and will introduce the simplified method of laying cables in that city after Nov. 1. Omaha, too, is considering the adoption of the "rat" scheme, and in all probability rodents will soon become a necessity in the telephone business.

The system is this: A strong cord is attached to the tail of a rat, and he is turned into one of the small sluices in the underground conduit. A ferret, tethered with a small rope is then shoved into the same opening, and the chase begins. The rat, intent upon escaping his deadly enemy, hurries through the passage, drawing the cord in his wake, and arrives at the manhole, usually a block distant.

The ferret is then withdrawn, and the end of the cord at the starting place is attached to the cable, which is easily drawn through the small tunnel. Before the introduction of the rats the work of "threading" the sluices was tedious and difficult, but now is "easy money," to use the expression of the linemen engaged in the work.

But to return to the ferret. He is not always withdrawn before reaching the rat, for it has been found that repeated denial of the prize he pursues discourages the animal, so he is frequently allowed to catch the rat.

The rats were obtained at small cost. A "want ad." placed in a Des Moines paper offered inducements to youths, and the latter soon supplied the companies with all the rodents needed to carry on the work.

## New Type of Battleship.

On the recommendation of the general board of the navy the board of construction has requested the bureau of construction and repair to draw plans for a battleship which shall carry twelve heavy turret guns of not less than ten inches caliber, at least four of which shall be twelve inches, and a secondary battery of not more than three inch guns, says a Washington dispatch to the New York Tribune. It is expected that this type if found practicable will be adopted for the next battleships authorized by Congress.

## An Ancient Oak.

In the village of Meavy, Dartmoor, England, is an old oak which was flourishing in the reign of King John and is still flourishing, though supported by stout props.

## Horses That Count.

In the coal mines of Hainault each horse is required to make thirty trips as a day's work. Some work faster than others, and each one, without exception and entirely of its own accord, goes directly to the stable after completing the thirtieth trip.

## Brewing Tea.

Among the various ways in which tea can be brewed an authority recommends the following: Moisten an ounce of tea, finely ground, with cold water and let it stand for twenty minutes, then pour on the tea a scant pint of boiling water, and in one minute it is ready to drink.

# Breakfast Bacon

For a change, try some of our Home-cured Bacon. It is called by many the best they have ever used.

You will find that our Lard is perfectly pure and lasts the longest.

## MEAKER BROS.

North Main Street.

# NOTICE!

I wish to announce to the ladies of Barre and vicinity that I will open

## DRESSMAKING ROOMS,

At 6 Averill Street, September 24th, and solicit a share of your patronage. I have put my prices down very low in order to establish a good business, but can guarantee my fitting and work to be first class.

MRS. ELWIN A. WILLIAMS,

6 Averill Street. Barre, Vt.

# New Muslin Curtains

Just what you may need when you are done with house-cleaning. See the kinds we are selling for 85c, 98c and \$1.25 per pair.

## VEALE & KNIGHT,

(Telephone Call 123-2)

Carrier Building,

North Main Street.

UNION CLOTHING CO. UNION CLOTHING COMPANY. UNION CLOTHING CO.

# We're Ready! Are You?

We are ready to do business with you in the Clothing line. Our tables are full of all the latest patterns and styles in

## MEN'S AND BOYS' SUITS AND OVERCOATS.

If you want a suit for \$5.00 that is worth \$5.00, we have it. If you want a suit for \$7.00 that is worth \$7.00, we have it. We also guarantee, if we sell you a Suit or Overcoat for \$10.00, \$12.00, \$15.00 or \$18.00, that it is worth the money. For every Suit or Overcoat sold after today for \$10.00 or over we will make, free of charge, a Crayon Portrait of yourself or any one of your family or friends, providing you have a good, clear photograph to copy from. This work is done right here in Barre, so there is no danger of losing your photo. Samples will be seen in our store after October 1st. Give us a call.

## Union Clothing Store,

(Telephone 232-22)

Opposite Depot Square.

In Old Skating Rink Building.

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## You Can Cure It With

# Rexall Cherry Juice Cough Syrup

WARRANTED TO DO IT. PRICE 25 CENTS.

RED CROSS PHARMACY and PARLOR DRUG STORE.

# Grapes! Grapes!

This is the "heigh-ho" week for the luscious Grape, more being gathered than during any other week of the season. Today we receive a large shipment to go at the following prices:

Concord, per basket,	15 cents.
Delawares, per basket,	18 cents.
Crazons, per basket,	15 cents.

## SOWDEN & LYON,

Telephone Connection.

North Main St., Barre, Vt.

## FLORAL DESIGNS.

Choice Cut Flowers and Plants. Bulbs for Fall planting arriving daily, including Easter Lilies, Tulips, Hyacinths, Chinese Lilies and all kinds of Bulbs for Fall imported direct from Holland. Store open every day, after the 26th, from 7 to 6 o'clock, and Saturdays till 9 p. m. Sundays, from 9 to 12 noon.

## EMSLIE, THE FLORIST,

Telephone—Store, 152-12; Greenhouse, 201-11.

OTIS BLOCK, PEARL STREET.

# DIAMONDS

IN RINGS from \$10.00 to \$75.00 each. Special prices for this week.

We Save You Money on Every Pair of Stone Cutters' Glasses.

## F. E. BURR & CO.,

(Telephone 10-21)

No. 85 North Main St.

Jewelers and Opticians.

# Choice Line of Breakfast Foods!

Force, 13c per package or two for	25c	It, 15c per package or two for	25c
Grape Nuts, 15c per package or two for	25c	Cream Oats, per package	25c
Premier Oat Flakes, per package	10c	Ready Bits, per package	15c
Premier Flaked Wheat, per package	10c	Banner Oats, per package	25c

## CHESSER & BIRD,

Telephone 232-12

323 North Main Street.

Meats and Groceries.

# ROOF PAINTS

Telephone 31-3.

"PRINCE'S," Brown Metal Paint, 75 per cent iron, is one of the very best. Has been used on many of the best blocks in Barre. Will stay on iron, tin or wood. Can show you some on the South end of our building that has been on fifteen years and looks as well as when put on. We also carry "STOWELL'S ROOFING PAINT" in liquid form, one of the very best Asphalt Paints. CALL FOR PRICES AND CIRCULARS.

L. M. AVERILL,

Opposite City Park,

Barre, Vermont.